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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Satoshi ISHIDA et al.  
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PCT/JP2005/005511)  
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For: AIR CONDITIONER AND METHOD OF  
CONTROLLING AIR CONDITIONER

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 15 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 16 of this paper. Claims 1-20 are pending, with claim 1, 13, 14 and 20 being the only independent claims.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 24 of this paper and include two (2) attached replacement sheets.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 25 of this paper.